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Zenit (see Swains)

PENTAX LX £1600

A modular pro-spec SLR that never quite made it big on the pro scene but is nonetheless an excellent workhorse. It's well crafted, rock solid and offers access to the extensive system of Pentax lenses and accessories. Rather pricey considering the simple spec but it does have a bright viewfinder.



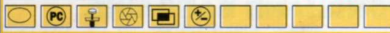
MANUAL FOCUS

EXP.MODESAP, M
BODY WEIGHT565g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/25-1/2000sec
MOTORWINDopt

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

BC OVERALL RATING



LEICA R7 £2438

Leica's flagship SLR costs an arm and a leg, but quality doesn't come cheap and this camera has that by the bucketload. As expected, it's built to breathtaking standards and everything works with silky smooth perfection to make picture-taking a pleasure.



MANUAL FOCUS

EXP.MODESP, AP, SP, M
BODY WEIGHT670g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/6-1/2000sec
MOTORWINDopt

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

BC OVERALL RATING



CONTAX ST £1640

A superbly crafted machine that offers a refreshing alternative to the latest AF technology. It's pleasantly simple, but engineered to perform every task with smoothness and ease and it really is a joy to behold. Not cheap, but oozes quality in all departments.



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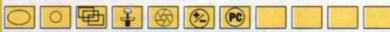
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SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/6-1/8000sec
MOTORWIND3fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

● TESTED: MARCH '93

BC OVERALL RATING



CONTAX RTS III £2440

A superb manual focus SLR that combines stunning quality with a wide range of features, including one of the best viewfinders around. The sleek, weighty body feels impressive as soon as you pick it up, and after that it just gets better. Start saving!



MANUAL FOCUS

EXP.MODESAP, SP, M
BODY WEIGHT1150g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 32-1/8000sec
MOTORWIND5fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

● TESTED: JAN '91

BC OVERALL RATING



CANON EOS 1N £1680

After listening to EOS-1 users, Canon have developed the camera and added an N. On the surface it's the same camera but beneath are improved features such as faster film advance, quieter operation, more accurate autofocus and advanced metering.



AUTO FOCUS

EXP.MODESP, AP, SP, M, D
BODY WEIGHT855g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 30-1/8000sec
MOTORWIND3fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

● BC TEST: NOV '94

BC OVERALL RATING



CANON EOS 1N RS £2490

With a motordrive that's almost as fast as a cine camera, this is camera aimed mainly at the professional sports photographer. The speedy drive is backed up by an equally nifty autofocus, making it a joy to use. No wonder the pros always look happy!



AUTO FOCUS

EXP.MODESP, AP, SP, M
BODY WEIGHT1300g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 30-1/8000sec
MOTORWIND10fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

BC OVERALL RATING



OLYMPUS OM-3Ti £1810

Latest update from Olympus to show they're still committed to the manual SLR market. The price is outrageous, considering the original OM-3 price, but it will please professionals who want to continue using the compact Olympus system.



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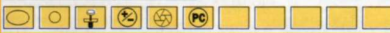
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BODY WEIGHT510g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/11-1/2000sec
MOTORWINDopt

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

● TESTED: JULY '95

BC OVERALL RATING



LEICA R6.2 £2625

Give the R6 a top shutter speed of 1/2000sec and you get the R6.2, a beautiful all-manual camera that looks a million dollars. The solid, weighty body feels perfectly balanced in the hand, and the smooth, quiet operation is a tribute to Leica's faultless engineering.



MANUAL FOCUS

EXP.MODESM
BODY WEIGHT825g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/11-1/2000sec
MOTORWINDopt

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

BC OVERALL RATING



NIKON F4 £2000

Ultimate pro SLR, built to withstand rigours of daily use and packed with all the features you'll ever need. Solid, chunky feel immediately instils confidence, and superb design makes it a dream to use. A camera you'll fall in love with. It's £2099 for F4S with 5.7fps film advance.



AUTO FOCUS

EXP.MODESP, AP, SP, M
BODY WEIGHT1090g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 30-1/8000sec
MOTORWIND4fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● LENS: 50MM

● TESTED JAN '91

BC OVERALL RATING



NIKON RS AF £2999

World's first underwater AF SLR based on the F4. Range of lenses and accessories for ultimate control. Expensive, but extremely versatile and handles superbly.



AUTO FOCUS

EXP.MODESAP, M
BODY WEIGHT2060g
SHUTTER SPEEDS 1/11-1/2000sec
MOTORWIND1fps

FEATURES
HANDLING
PERFORMANCE
VALUE

● BODY ONLY

BC OVERALL RATING



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